

Woburn Street Bypass and Elmer Goodearl get the KO

After the public hearings on street construction, last Thursday, Wilmington's Board of Selectmen had a simple rule of thumb to guide them in their choices of whether or not to keep the name of a street to be constructed in the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting. That rule of thumb depended on how the residents of the street had voted, in the public hearing that same evening.

If the vote was divided, or if a majority vote was in favor of construction the Selectmen voted to put the name of the street up to the deliberations of the Town Meeting. If a majority had voted against a street it was knocked out by the Selectmen.

It was as simple as that - except for the proposed Woburn Street Bypass. There the criteria was the cost - of purchasing the land and of building the street.

In the "betterment" hearings the cost, in some instances, had been as high as \$40 a foot, for each side of a forty foot wide street, or a total cost of \$80 a foot. Woburn Street Bypass was to be wider than forty feet, and the selectmen noted the costs. It would have, they decided, a greater cost.

Selectman George Boylen said that the cost of the land for the proposed bypass would be in the neighborhood of \$100,000 and the construction costs would probably be half a million dollars, and he wasn't going to vote for it. Boylen was joined by Mike Cairns, Danny Gillis and Jim Miceli.

Only Chairman Jim Banda stood up for consideration by the Town Meeting of the Woburn Street Bypass.

Chairman Arthur Harding of the Planning Board, when he learned the news, stormed out of the building. He was polite about it, but he stormed out.

The Town Crier did not observe how Elmer Goodearl of Cleveland Avenue left the meeting, but if Mr. Goodearl did happen to storm out he had a right to. The selectmen had voted to include Cleveland Avenue as one of the streets to be voted on, in the Town Meeting, and Mr. Goodearl stands to be over \$12 thousand poorer, as a result.

Mr. Goodearl owns over three hundred feet of land on one side of Cleveland Avenue. It is low and swampy, and there are swamp maples in profusion. Purportedly there are a few houselets in that area, but it is to be doubted if the Board of Health would let Mr.

Goodearl build there, even if he could get a building permit from the Building Inspector.

One the other side of the street are a couple of small houselets, with newly built homes. The cost to those people would be in the neighborhood of \$2000 apiece.

There was also Anthony Walsh, who lives on Swain Road, but whose house is beside Cleveland Avenue. He will have to pay over \$5 thousand if Cleveland Avenue is constructed under Betterments.

Mr. Walsh voted with Mr. Goodearl, both saying No. There were four votes in favor, and that meant a two to one vote in favor. That was what the selectmen saw, and they "laid out" the street.

As before reported, the Town Crier did not see Mr. Goodearl leave the Town Hall, but it is safe to bet that he was not smiling.

Jack Cushing feels Wilmington residents only

Jack Cushing of the Wilmington Recreation Commission is in favor of Article 10 of the annual Town Meeting warrant. The article asks that the town transfer custody of some tax title land, at the northern end of Ballardvale Street, to the care of the Recreation Commission, for the use of all the people of Wilmington, in passive recreation.

Passive recreation, he says, includes nature trails, cross country ski trails, picnicking and camping, either in family or groups. All residents, regardless of age, will have the opportunity to use this land. We feel that the Recreation Commission is the town agency which can best administer this land.

The aim of the Commission, Mr. Cushing says, is in full agreement

with the Elliot plan of 1969, and the current state and federal outdoor recreation plans.

Town Manager Sterling Morris, in August 1972 wrote a letter to the Recreation Commission asking them to please look into the possibility of selecting for future purchase and development a Park Site for multiple recreational use. "We are running out of adequate space for ballfields and open space."

Less than a month earlier the Board of Selectmen, in their minutes (July 24, 1972) show that after a discussion about lack of ballfields in which the discussion was about the Shawheen Playground and Rotary Park the selectmen were asked by Mr. Sierrazza to look for more sites. The chairman, Mr. Banda, agreed and felt that the town should be looking for federal funds for parks, and that the Recreation Commission should "come in with their recommendations."

WHS JUNIORS TO CANVAAS MARCH 5 & 6

The patrons drive for the WHS junior variety show will be conducted from 6:30 to 8:30 on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 5th and 6th.

Residents of Wilmington have been most generous in the past and this year's juniors will appreciate their patronage.

Juniors have been instructed to show proper identification prior to accepting donations.

Selectman James F. Banda

Candidate for Re-Election

It is a Privilege to serve you

USE YOUR CHERISHED RIGHT Vote

Saturday March 2, 1974

10 AM to 8 PM



MARY CASTALDO: Selectman. The North Street Mix was photographed Monday evening in the Selectmen's meeting room in the Town Hall. That hat belongs to Danny Gillis, and that's another story.

Rep. Fred Cain questionnaire Dramatic response by several hundred voters

Several hundred Wilmington voters have replied, by mail, to the latest set of questions sent out by Rep. Fred Cain, about January first. The response has been dramatic, in its portrayal of the thinking of Wilmington voters.

Wilmington voters, so the poll says, are in favor of giving the Town Meeting power to cut school budgets, think the death penalty should be restored, and are against the legalization of marijuana.

Mr. Cain, in a letter to be sent to those who replied to the questions, will say that he will be guided in his votes in the legislature by the results of the poll of the voters.

The largest percentage to vote on any one question was 83% in favor of making school and college tuition tax-deductible.

Eighty-four per cent thought that the Town Meeting should have the power to cut school budgets. The same number of replies were against the legalizing of the use of marijuana.

Eighty-one per cent thought that state college tuition should be based on family income. Seventy-five per cent were not in favor of the racial imbalance law. Seventy-six per cent thought that Massachusetts should restore the death penalty. Sixty-seven per cent were against the prison furlough program.

Of the nine questions posed by Representative Cain only one had a response that was somewhat even - a question on hand guns.

Fifty-four per cent of those who outgrew, and 46% thought they replied said hand guns should be should not be.

Musical Chair Program on street acceptance

Street acceptance, in town, is a ritual which can be only accomplished in town meetings by the vote of the town. But, before the voters have their opportunity the street must be "laid out" by a Board of Selectmen.

If the Selectmen refuse to lay out a street the voters cannot vote to accept.

Planning Board action, preceding a town meeting, for the acceptance of streets is, however, only advisory. The Planning Board may approve, or disapprove. In either case the voters still may vote on whether or not to accept.

Wilmington's Board of Selectmen, last Thursday, voted to Lay Out seven streets: Scallitro Drive, Falcon Road, Lexington Street, Morningside Drive, Cleveland Avenue, Industrial Way and Progress Way.

Wilmington's Planning Board has approved and signed the plans for five of those streets.

Tuesday they signed plans for the remaining two, but not in approval. The plans were marked Disapproved.

The board disapproved of Cleveland Avenue because there is no turnaround at the end. Falcon

Weeping Hill

Chestnut Street repairs start as soon as possible

It took only five minutes for the two boards - Burlington selectmen and Wilmington selectmen to come to a meeting of the minds.

Chairman Roberto and three more members of the Burlington Board of Selectmen agreed, Tuesday night, to start construction for a drainage system for Weeping Hill, in South Wilmington, for Chestnut Street, and for the homes affected by the flow of water.

The agreement did not mean that Burlington assumes responsibility for the water that has plagued the area ever since the construction of the Burlington Dam. It did mean that the two boards have agreed to get the work done, and to haggle later over who, or what is responsible.

The Burlington selectmen have already asked for bids for the new drainage system. They told the Wilmington selectmen that they were also waiting for a formal permit to enter on Wilmington property, in order that the work may be done without possibility of violation of the trespass laws. Present were four members of the Wilmington board. Mr. Cairns being absent. Present too were two engineers from the firm of Whitman & Howard, designers of the dam.

Fire fighters distribute Invalid Stickers

Wilmington Fire Fighters Local 1370 has a campaign to increase the distribution of Invalid Stickers, for the people of Wilmington. The stickers are used to designate homes in which there are persons unable to help themselves, in case of an emergency.

To obtain a sticker simply call the Wilmington Fire Department on their business phone - 658-3346. Give name and address to the fire

fighter with whom you speak, and a convenient time for a fire fighter to visit your home, and place the stickers on the proper windows.

The fire fighter, when he visits your home, will bring with him two stickers, one for the front door, to identify the home to responding fire fighters, and a second sticker to be placed on the bedroom window of the person for whom the stickers were obtained, thus focusing attention on that particular room.

All information is in strict confidence, and a fire fighter will check back semi-annually, to note information changes. Local 1370 hopes that the people of Wilmington will use this service. This simple procedure may save a life. There is no charge.

The business phone of the Fire Station is 658-3346. In emergencies only, call 658-3300.

School vandals caught by police

Three fourteen year old youths who have been having quite a time in a couple of Wilmington schools landed up in the custody of Officers Bernard Nally and Bill Gable, Saturday afternoon.

The two policemen caught two of the youths in the Glen Road School. The third was nearby, and was named by the two as having had a part in the frolic. All three live in North Wilmington.

They had caused malicious damage in the school. They had broken open the kitchen refrigerator, had smashed records, and in turn they implicated the third youth.

The youths are said to have broken into the North Intermediate School three nights in a row, and to have broken into the Glen Road School on other occasions, as well as the Woburn Street School. Several other youngsters are reported to have taken part.

The case is still under police investigation.

THE GLEN ROAD QUESTION



THE GLEN ROAD QUESTION: To widen or not to widen, so as to allow room for a sidewalk. It attracted the attention of all those who were attending hearings in the Town Hall last Thursday, possibly because they had never attended a hearing before, and besides it was a vote to vote away the time while waiting for a discussion of their own streets. Most of those who are in the picture, but not all, are Glen Road residents.

When it came time to vote on the other streets only the number of votes were cast for the number of homes on the street - but for Glen Road, with thirteen homes in that section, there were 43 votes. It seems that everyone trooped over to the auditor to vote.

Only one vote was for widening the street, using proper plans. Fourteen voted for a sidewalk without widening the street, and twenty five voted for no sidewalk.

TOWN OF WILMINGTON

PUBLIC NOTICE

The 1974 Town Budget has been placed in the Wilmington Memorial Library for review by any interested citizen.

Sterling C. Morris
Town Manager

TOWN of WILMINGTON



ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Saturday - March 9, 1974

1:30 PM - High School Gymnasium

Board of Selectmen

Wilmington Food Distribution Center

Town House (former Mildred Rogers School - off Grove Ave)

Tues & Wed
Mar 5 & 6

9:00 A.M.
to
2:00 P.M.

Gas Station Survey

The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce has surveyed all gas stations in the town of Wilmington regarding hours for service and pumping of gas. The service station managers have however, stressed that their hours are subject to the availability of gas and to the sale of their daily quotas. Motorists should be aware that most service stations adhere to a limited purchase.

Station	Station hours	Gas hours
D & D Gulf, 300 Middlesex	7:30 am-4 pm	7:30 am-4 pm
Duggan Service, 103 Main	6:30 am-8 pm	6:30 am-10:30 am
Frank's Amoco, Main St	7 am-2 pm	limited
Jack's Custom Sunoco, 385 Main	7 am-6 pm	4 pm-6 pm
Mel's Cigo, 945 Main	8 am-6 pm	9:30 am-10:30 am
N. Wilm Shell, 361 Middlesex	7 am-9 am	7 am-9 am
Quality Car Wash, 381 Main	8 am-5:30 pm	8 am-1 pm
Spinelli Texaco, 275 Main	7 am-6 pm	7 am-9 am
Wil. Jenny, 230 Main	9 am-6:30 pm	7 am-8 am
Main St. Exxon, 206 Main	7 am-8 pm	3 pm-5 pm
		7 am-8 am
		4 pm-6 pm

ELCT Barbara H. LARSON

TO
WILMINGTON
HOUSING
AUTHORITY

EXPERIENCED

Currently serving on Housing Authority Board.

CONCERNED

Prior service as Senior Citizen Co ordinator as Recreation Dept. Staff Member.

AWARE

Recognizes the need for adequate housing facilities and service for the senior citizens.

Carl A. Bachman Jr.
149 Aldrich Road

Pol. Adv.

Deaths

COREY E. CAIL
58 YEARS IN WILMINGTON

Corey E. Cail, a resident of Wilmington for over 50 years, passed away February 21st at Winchester, following a lengthy illness. Born in Pine Ridge, New Brunswick, 72 years ago, Mr. Cail resided at 2 Birch Street in Wilmington.

Until his retirement, Mr. Cail had worked as a carpenter for the Monsanto Chemical Co. of Everett for over 40 years. He is survived by his wife Beatrice (Raimy), a son Dean C. Cail of Willets, California; two step-daughters, Loraine P. Smith of Tewksbury and Wanda J. Palmer of London, Ontario; three brothers and a sister, Lowell and Elliott Cail of New Brunswick, Herbert G. Cail of Portland, Maine and Etta Cail of Scarborough, Maine.

Mr. Cail was a member of Friendship Lodge of Masons A.F. & A.M. of Wilmington.

Funeral services were held at the United Methodist Church of Wilmington on Monday, February 25th at 11 am with the Rev. Willis Miller officiating. Burial took place in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington. Pallbearers for Mr. Cail were Robert Bertwell, Dick Cail, Donald Cail, Kenneth Cail, Ted Smith and Tyler Brown.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington.

SERVICES FOR

SIDNEY B. ROBERTS

Sidney B. Roberts of 67 Aldrich Road, Wilmington died at Lawrence Memorial Hospital, Medford on Sunday following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Roberts, who was 68 years of age, was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, the son of the late Albert J. and Edith Roberts.

He had been a resident of Wilmington for the past 19 years and had served as a credit manager prior to his retirement.

Mr. Roberts is survived by his wife Mrs. Zella G. (Jones) Roberts; his son, Albert J. Roberts of Framingham and his daughter, Mrs. Edith L. Kephart of Akron, Ohio. Five grandchildren also sur-

vive. The funeral services were held at the W.S. Cavanaugh and Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Wednesday at 1:30 pm with the Rev. Willis P. Miller of the United Methodist Church of Wilmington officiating. Burial took place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

HOSPITAL FUND

Relatives, friends and loved ones honored by contributions in their memory to the Wilmington Regional Hospital Building Fund, this week include:

Judy Klimarchuk Tenney lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her Klimarchuk Family.

Giulio Motroni, on his sixth anniversary in Heaven, lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his wife, Emilia Motroni.

Josephine M. Phipps (Brookton) mother of Mrs. Florence Jennings, from the Gorton Club of Gloucester.

Luigia Del Nino, mother of Silvio Del Nino, from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCabe, North Reading.

Bernard M. Johnson from Mrs. Elva A. Veno (Woburn). Bernard (Berny) Johnson from all the gang at the Carriage Trade Co., Inc.

Bernard (Berney) Johnson from Rodney Berubee, Center Barnstead, N.H.

Bernard M. Johnson from Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Farrell, Arlington C. Marr from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCabe (North Reading).

Charles Ellis on his fourth anniversary, sadly missed and lovingly remembered by his devoted wife, Florence E. Ellis.

Thelma Chisholm, sister-in-law of Lennie Chisholm lovingly remembered on her first anniversary by Lennie and Alice Chisholm.

Edith L. Ross, mother of Ethel and Charles Ross from Robert and Irene Baker.

Edith M. Ross, mother of Ethel and Charles Ross from Bernice and George Lynch.

Edith M. Ross, our very dear friend from Olga Hawkins and Henry Lindquist (Quincy).

Edith M. Ross, mother of Ethel and Charles Ross from Lennie and Alice Chisholm.

Rees A. Mason, father of Vernon (Bud) Mason from Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Woodside.

Rees A. Mason, father of Vernon (Bud) Mason from Thomas and Lillian Cavanaugh.

Mary McGuinness, mother of Thomas McGuinness from Lennie and Alice Chisholm.

Bernardo Corsetto (Woburn) from Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miles (Tewksbury).

Herbert Lawson from Mr. and Mrs. William Murray.

Herbert Lawson from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughson.

In memory of our neighbor, Katie Urbanowski, from Ethel and Charles Ross.

Helen Pearl Chanahouse (Reading) from Milton W. Symonds (Reading).

Thomas F. Brogan (Reading) brother of Roy J. Brogan from Milton W. Symonds (Reading).

Edith M. Ross, mother of Ethel and Charles Ross from Frank Nugent.

Ethel M. Ross from her former neighbors, Jean and Carl Sarris.

Edith M. Ross from Ann and John Urbanowski.

In loving memory of our mother, Edith M. Ross, from her son and daughter, Ethel and Charles.

DR. RICHARD VINCENT
TO ADDRESS
NURSES ASSOCIATION

Dr. Richard Vincent, Chiropractor, will address the regular monthly meeting of the Professional Registered Nurses Association on Thursday, March 7th at 8 pm. The meeting will take place at the Cohate Hospital Nurses Residence in Woburn.

Dr. Vincent's topic will be "Chiropractic: A Member of the Health Delivery System." Dr. Vincent is past president of the Mass. Chiropractic Society; past secretary of the state's residents Chiropractic Congress, and past president of the National Federation of Chiropractic State Licensing Boards.

All area nurses, both active and retired are cordially invited to attend this meeting. Those desiring further information should contact Doris Cunningham, R.N. at 658-9084.

TOWNSHIP CRUISE THURSDAY FEBRUARY 28, 1974

Tewksbury youth prepare "Godspell"

The cast of the South Tewksbury United Methodist Church's production of a "Tribute to Godspell" is in its final stages of preparation. Scenery and costumes are all being made by the actors and actresses of this production.

Music and choreography are completed with the assistance of John Bousquillon of Tewksbury. Professional lighting systems are being prepared by several members of the cast, and James Murray, the youth counselor.

Performance dates are April 5 and 6 at 8 pm.

A sell-out is definitely expected. Tickets are available at The Music Workshop, 1289 Main Street, Tewksbury.

Church Services

THE REV. GLYN PRUCE
TO SPEAK IN READING

The Rev. Glyn Puce will serve as guest speaker at the 10:30 am service this Sunday at the Unitarian-Universalist Church of Reading. This will be the first in a series of four Sunday morning services by Mr. Puce.

The Rev. Puce has been a parish minister in England for five years and more recently Director of the Religious Education and Youth Department of the British General Assembly of Unitarian Churches.

Baby sitting and church school will be available. All are welcome to attend the coffee hour in Community Hall following the service.

WILMINGTON
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The Rev. George B. Taylor, III, Minister, 658-2264 or 658-3001.

Sun. March 3rd: 11:00 am, Communion Sunday service; 9:30 am, Church School grades four thru 12; 11 am, Kindergarten thru grade three; 2:30 pm, Post High Fellowship; 2:30 pm, Jr. and Sr. High will meet at the church to visit the Christian Science Church in Boston; 7 pm, Vesper service and hymn sing.

Fri. March 1st: 3:30 pm, Junior choir rehearsal; 8 pm, informal worship and Bible study, parsonage.

Wed. March 6th: 9:30 am, LBS Board meeting; 10:15 am, LBS

business meeting; 11:45 am, Dessert lunch; 7 pm, Junior and senior choir rehearsal; 8 pm, Christian Education Committee.

Thurs. March 7th: 9:30 am, Bible study class.

ST. THOMAS CHURCH

Masses: Vigil Masses at 4 and 5:30 pm on Saturday, Sundays at 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 am and 12 noon; daily Mass at 9 am.

Baptisms: Held the first and third Sundays of the month at 3 pm. Please phone in information previously. Baptismal rehearsal held in the chapel, the night before at 7:30.

Ash Wednesday: Masses at 9 am, 12 noon and 4 and 7:30 pm. Ashes will be distributed during the Mass.

Stations of the Cross: On Friday at 3:30. On Friday evening at 7:30 Lenten Mass.

WILMINGTON UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. Willis P. Miller, Minister, 658-4519 or 658-6217.

Thurs. Feb. 28th: 7:30 Choir rehearsal and Bible Study.

Fri. March 1st: 8 pm, Bible Study at Lawlor's.

Sun. March 3rd: 9:30 am, Morning Worship and Church School grades nursery through eight; 11 am, Morning Worship and Church School grades one through adult; 2 pm, Bible Study at the Parson's; 113 West Street; 8 pm, All MYF groups and Prayer meeting; 7 pm, Special Youth Council meeting; 8:30 pm, Young adults.

Mon. March 4th: 10 am, Billerica Bible study; 7 pm, Angelus; 7:30 pm, Worship.

Tues. March 5th: 9:30 Bible Study, Hebrews; 7:30 pm, Pastor-Parish; 8 pm, United Methodist Women.

St. Dorothy's Sodality will meet March 5

ST. DOROTHY'S SODALITY
WILL MEET MARCH 5

St. Dorothy's Ladies Sodality will meet on Tuesday, March 5th in the lower church hall following a 7:30 pm Mass.

Prefect Mrs. Edward Dean urges all members who plan to attend the concert on March 17th to have the balance of the fee paid at this meeting.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting by Mrs. Theodore Plotte.

Births

ANDREWS: Kristi Lee, second daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andrews of Lowell on February 17th at Choate Memorial Hospital. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Francis Sierrazza of Fairmeadow Road, Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andrews of Tewksbury.

CAIRA: Jennifer Elizabeth, first child to Selectman and Mrs. Michael A. Caira of 3 Moore St. Wilmington on February 11th at Mount Auburn Hospital.

Grandparents include the late Joseph Tryon and Mrs. Helen McCabe of Belmont and Mr. and Mrs. Aldo A. Caira of 188 Chestnut St., Wilmington.

Great grandfather is Vincent Caira of Newton.



KAREN LENNON
WILL WED IN JUNE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Lennon of 18 Lennon Road, Arlington have announced the engagement of their daughter, Karen Marie to Frederick V. Shine, son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Shine of 6 Grove Ave., Wilmington.

Karen is a 1968 graduate of Arlington High School. Fred graduated from Wilmington High School with the class of 1967 and served with the U.S. Navy from 1968-70, during which time, he served a tour of duty in Vietnam.

SHAWSHOEN TECH
STUDENTS ARE
RENOVATING SCHOOL

Carpentry, electrical and metal fabrication students at Shawshoan Tech are currently involved in renovating Burlington's Center School into administrative offices for Superintendent Thomas Michael and his staff.

The vocational school board granted approval recently for the project which is viewed as an ideal opportunity for providing hands-on experience for students. Superintendent Michael expressed enthusiasm for student involvement in the renovation project.

The opportunity will give these young people fine experience and will demonstrate to taxpayers how a regional vocational school can make a return to the community.

PHILIP DALRYMPLE
CHAIRMAN OF COFFEE DAY

Philip Dalrymple, Manager of the Reading Cooperative Bank, Wilmington, will serve as chairman of the Coffee Day for Crippled Children and their Easter Seal appeal in Wilmington.

Coffee Day, to be held Thursday, April 11 throughout Massachusetts, is an annual event of the Easter Seal Society. It is a two week special project that starts on Thursday March 28. On that day red and white buttons will go on sale in restaurants, coffee shops and snack bars to benefit physically handicapped children and adults served by Easter Seals.

Buttons are sold for \$1.00 and on Thursday, April 11, persons having a button may drink free coffee in any of the participating establishments.

OLDER-AMERICANS GAIN
HALF TUITION AT NSCC

Older Americans who desire to take courses in the Division of Continuing Education and Community Services at North Shore Community College are eligible for half tuition rates on any and all courses that have sufficient registration.

Older Americans, as defined by the Division of Continuing Education, are those individuals who are 65 or over.

For information, call 927-4850 or write Paul K. Willenbrock, 3 Essex Street, Beverly, Ma. 01915.

Purim Party
at Temple Shalom
March 3rd

The Sisterhood of Temple Shalom, Salem Street, Wilmington, is planning a Purim Party for Sunday afternoon, starting at 2 pm. There will be a donation of \$1, and refreshments are to be served. The Sisterhood meeting on

KENNETH ALLABY TO SERVE
HEMOPHILIA CAMPAIGN

Kenneth D. Allaby of 41B Lake Street, Wilmington will serve as the community chairman of the 1974 hemophilia campaign in Wilmington which will get underway on Saturday, March 16 with a house to house drive throughout the community.

Mr. Allaby is an employee of Avco Printing & Publishing, Lowell. He was active in past in Heart Fund, Cystic Fibrosis and Cancer Crusade functions.

The multi-phased Harvest of Hope campaign is directed by the New England Hemophilia Association, chapter of the National Hemophilia Foundation. Attorney General Robert H. Quinn is Massachusetts drive chairman.

PLANNING RETIREMENT
COURSE OFFERED AT NSCC

Planning for Retirement will again be offered during the Spring 1974 semester at North Shore Community College in Beverly. Because of the educational need for a course of this nature, and the benefit it can have for those who participate, the Division of Continuing Education and Community Services will offer this course tuition-free.

This four week program features experts in all phases of retirement planning and provides a stimulating atmosphere for a question and answer session directly concerning the needs of the individual participants.

The individual enrolling does not have to be in the 60-65 age category. In the past many individuals enrolled have been in the 40-55 bracket.

400 VIEW "CRY 3"

The Clearlight production of "Cry 3" was overwhelmingly received by the 400 spectators at the Wilmington High School auditorium on Friday evening, February 15th. The multi-media, giant screened presentation with synchronized sound track portraying the "cry" of modern man and his potential to know God is still being discussed among those who were privileged to see and hear.

The emphasis of the evening then shifted to the Masonic Hall where an unusually successful Christian Coffeehouse brought 200 more young and old townspeople together to hear skilled young artists share their music and words of witness. Free refreshments were provided to all and a great time of fellowship was enjoyed.

AVCO PASSES 10%
ENERGY SAVING

Avco Systems Division has surpassed its goal of a 10 per cent reduction in energy consumption and reports a cumulative saving in energy of 12.7 per cent since July 1, 1973. Reductions in heating, lighting, as well as vehicle utilization at the Wilmington and Lowell plants are credited with the significant saving in energy.

The division's goal was initially set at a seven per cent reduction in July of 1973 with respect to a three year baseline average, and increased to 10 per cent, December 1.

Lowering of thermostats at the company facilities and dramatic reductions in hallway lighting and where possible in office areas are the major factors that affected the savings.

Systems Division is currently conducting building studies to determine heat loss mechanisms at the facilities and potential modifications of the buildings that could be economically justified. A pilot program of placing transparent plastic sheeting on the inside of windows to cut down heat loss is presently underway.

CARD OF THANKS

This is to thank the men of the Wilmington Fire Department for their very quick response, and the way they put out a fire on February 18th at 79 Chestnut Street, Wilmington.

Charles Cosgrove Jr.

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HOSPITAL
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Tuesday: Hamburger in a Roll, Julienne Potato, Carrot and Celery Sticks, Cranberry Rice Pudding and Milk.

Wednesday: Turkey with Brown Gravy, Whipped Potato, Parsley Carrots, Hot Rolls and butter, Jello and Milk.

Thursday: Juice, Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce, Frankfurt in a Roll, Mid-Nite Chocolate Cake and Milk.

Friday: Krispy Fish, Catsup, French Fries, Carrot and Cabbage Slaw, Hot Rolls and Butter, Ice Cream and Milk.

Monday: Ham, Cheese and Tomato or Veal Cutlet on Buttered Roll, Fluffy Rice, Shoestring Carrots, Applesauce Cake with Topping and Milk.

Tuesday: Beef Ravioli, Tomato Sauce, Cabbage Slaw, French Bread and Butter, Jiffy Cookies and Milk.

Wednesday: Juice, Chicken Croquette, Gravy, Mashed Potato.

Peas and Carrots, Cranberry Sauce, Roll and Butter, Toll House Square and Milk.

Thursday: Meatball Sub, Potato Chips, Whole Kernel Corn, Pudding with Topping and Milk.

Friday: Juice, Tuna Salad Roll, Parsley Potato, Green Beans, Ice Cream and Milk.

WAYNE L. KIRBY WILL ATTEND WENTWORTH

Wayne L. Kirby, of 215 Wildwood St., Wilmington has been accepted for admission to Wentworth Institute in Boston for the 1974-75 academic year.

Wentworth has two-year programs in industrial and engineering technology leading to an associate degree in engineering or in applied science as well as a certificate program.

ANNA VISCONTI CHAIRS WILMINGTON HEART FUND

Anna Visconti of Nassau Ave., chairman of the 1974 Heart Fund Campaign in Wilmington has announced that there will be no door-to-door solicitations this year. Instead, a letter has been forwarded to each home seeking

contributions to the Heart Fund. This Sunday is Heart Fund Sunday in Wilmington and Anna reminds residents that dollars they contribute will help them and their loved ones live a longer and healthier life.

SUSAN LAUN, STON ON DEAN'S LIST

Susan Laughton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney E. Laughton of 81 Adams St., Wilmington has been named to the Dean's List at Salem State College. Susan is a senior at Salem State.

IT PAYS TO SHOP THE FINAST WAY

WILMINGTON SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUS

Walker, Whitefield, Swain and Buzzell Schools
Monday: Tomato-Alphabet Soup, Celery Sticks, Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwich, Cheese Cube, Scooter Pie and Milk.

Tuesday: Beef Ravioli, Tomato Sauce, Cabbage Slaw, French Bread and Butter, Jiffy Cookies and Milk.

Wednesday: Hot Turkey Sandwich, Gravy, Mashed Potato, Peas and Carrots, Cranberry Sauce, Toll House Square and Milk.

Thursday: Meatball Sub, Potato Chips, Whole Kernel Corn, Pudding with Topping and Milk.

Friday: Juice, Tuna Salad Roll, Potato Sticks, Green Beans, Ice Cream and Milk.

Wildwood, Woburn St., Glen Rd., Beethoven and Shawheen Schools
Monday: Hot Turkey Sandwich, Gravy, Mashed Potato, Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Cookies and Milk.

Tuesday: Macaroni Shells, Meat Sauce, Carrot and Celery Sticks, French Bread and Butter, Pudding with Topping and Milk.

Wednesday: Juice, Cheeseburger on Buttered Roll, Potato Sticks, Green Beans, Apple Crisp and Milk.

Thursday: Meatball Sub, Potato Chips, Whole Kernel Corn, Ice Cream and Milk.

Friday: Juice, Tuna Salad Roll, Fluffy Rice, Peas and Carrots, Jiffy Cookies and Milk.

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Armour Zip Top Ham **\$16.99** Oscar Mayer Bacon **\$1.39**
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Nepco Canned Ham **\$6.99** Armour Franks **\$1.15**
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Colonial Bologna **\$1.09** Franks **\$1.29**
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Yellow Pea or Green Pea **5** 14 1/2 oz Cans **\$1**

46 oz Can **30¢**

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NO. READING - Route 28 Next to Grants

It was an excellent day for Scouting

Wilmington's Troop 58 Leadership Corps sponsored the recent Wampanoag District Klondike Derby, at the Andover Village Improvement Society grounds in North Andover, on February 18th. Nearly 200 Boy Scouts from Wilmington, Tewksbury and Billerica took part.

Scouts had to prove their ability at testing stations along a course, in sled and pack, inspections, camping, cooking, fishing, survival and first aid.

The skill trails were laid out by Troop 58's Leadership Corps, Larry Flaherty, chairman.

Scouts attending were from Troops 58, 59, 63 and 136 in Wilmington; Troops 41 and 322 in Tewksbury, and Troops 11, 30, 43,

51 and 56 in Billerica. Top Patrol Honors were awarded to Black Bisons of Troop 322 (first place); Tarantulas of Troop 59 (second place) and Barracudas of Troop 50 (third place).

The Scouts of Troop 58 showed their fishing ability, when they placed one, two and three, in that particular event.

Troop 58's Leadership Corps really put themselves out on the event, as the skill trails were judged to be the best seen in years. At one point on the trail (survival) the Scouts could be seen hanging out of trees with a bowline tied around each of their waists, a spectacular view.

Dear Larry:

In response to the action taken by the selectmen on Thursday night, February 21st pertaining to the Woburn Street bypass, without any alternative as to relief of the traffic problems in this area, and to the danger, without pedestrians having as much as a sidewalk, it should be understood by the Selectmen that the residents were here before the industry.

It is true that the tax relief derived from the industry benefits all in town, or so we have been led to believe. It is also true that the residents of this area are not aware of any improvements pertaining to safety.

Yours very truly
Wilson J. Belbin
Morse Avenue

LETTER

Feb. 23rd

The Church of Christ in Wilmington



© 1974 by Ann Torrente

What is probably the only drawing ever made of the first church in Wilmington is presented to the readers of the Town Crier through the courtesy of Ann Torrente, of Wildwood Street. Mrs. Torrente, an accomplished artist lives in the Benjamin Buck House, oldest in Wilmington. Her husband is a Medical Librarian, at Harvard University.

The description of the church comes from the Historical Addresses of the Rev. Daniel Noyes, in 1880. The Rev. Mr. Noyes also described the interior of the church, and Ann Torrente intends to present some sketches of the interior, for a future edition of the Town Crier.

The church building (which also served as a Town Hall), in spite of the leaded glass diamond windows looked like a barn. This was in conformance with the Brownist tradition of the early Puritan church in England.

The Rev. Robert Browne (he spelled his name with an "e") was an early English leader of a group of people who conceived of a church as being a local self governing body of experiential believers in Christ. As such these people were in opposition to the established church in England, and the Rev. Mr. Browne had to preach without a

license.

He gathered a congregation at Norwich about 1590 and attacked the forms of government and the discipline of the established church. A year later he and his followers had to seek refuge in Holland, and in that country he published several treatises which are generally regarded as the first expression of the principals of Congregationalism.

The Rev. Mr. Browne eventually was reconciled with the established church, but the structures in England, in which his followers had met to worship were the barns of the country side, and from that grew the early traditional form of the Puritan Church structure in New England, of which Wilmington's church was an example.

The view is as from the middle of the right hand side of the lawn, as one faces the present Congregational Church. The first church stood in front of the old cemetery, and parallel to it, so that the old gravesites in that cemetery were at right angles to the church.

The left hand stone in the present stonewall in front of the cemetery was the stone which was used as the step for the front door. There is, in the stone, a hole

which held the bottom of the hand rail.

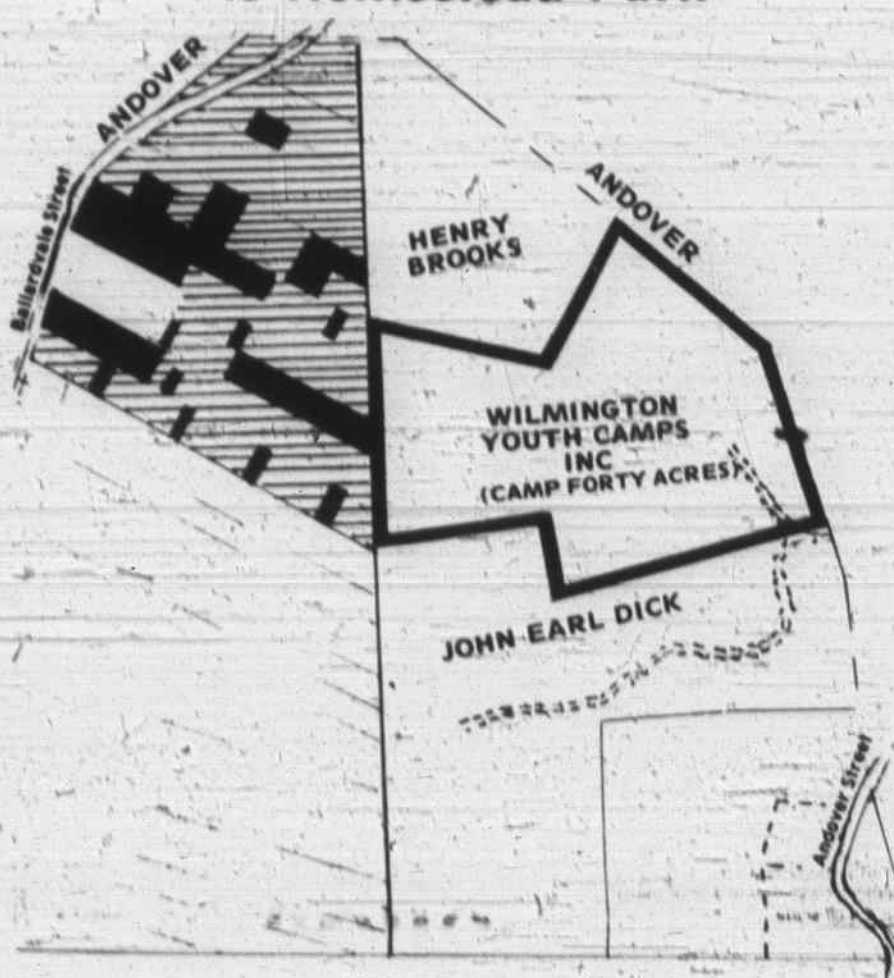
The path or road, in front of the church, was the ancient "Main Road." Today it is the church driveway, and the Main Road (a new one, relatively speaking) has become Middlesex Avenue.

The front door it should be noted, was on the side of the building, not the end. There were doors at either end, but none in back, nor were there windows in back, save a round topped window near the pulpit.

It was in this church that the Rev. Isaac Merrill served for over fifty-two years. He was installed on his twenty-third birthday, May 20, 1741 and served to the day of his death on August 17, 1793. The Rev. Mr. Morrill was the Chaplain to the Massachusetts forces at the siege to Ticonderoga, during the French and Indian War, and on the day of the Battle of Lexington he had an active and energetic role. It was he who, five years later, delivered the dedicatory address at the Lexington Battle Green.

It was during his tenure that the church was cut in two and lengthened. Later, at the end of the War of 1812 the church was supplanted by a second building, on the site of the present church, and the structure was torn down in 1814.

The shaded area is Homestead Park



The sketch above shows land in the northern part of Wilmington about which there are more than a few discussions now going on. Ballardvale Street is at left, and at right is Andover Street, going into Andover. The shaded area at top left is Homestead Park, a real estate development going back almost to the turn of the century, and probably about fifty acres in area. The Town Crier, a couple of weeks ago guessed that it was nearly 100, but that was a poor guess.

The black areas in Homestead Park represent privately owned land. Not all the privately owned land is thus shown, there being a few more insignificant pieces. There were streets (paper streets) in the area until last June, when the town adopted an Official Map, and all uninhabited streets were eradicated from the maps of Wilmington.

The shaded areas are town owned, by virtue of being "tax title" - that is land taken for the non payment of taxes. Ballardvale Street, it will be noted, goes through the shaded area. It is that shaded area which the Recreation Commission seeks to have transferred to its control, under Article 10 of the Warrant for the annual town meeting.

At right, outlined in heavy black, is Camp Forty Acres, which is actually 41 acres in area. It is owned by Wilmington Youth Camps, Inc. a non profit organization, in existence since 1948. Wilmington Youth Camps Inc. was formed by Foster Baber and Phillip Buzzell, when Mr. Baber learned that there was land to be given, and it has been operated by volunteer crews ever since, without cost to the town, mostly for Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, but also for

other organizations. There is always a long line of applicants, and assignments have to be made weeks in advance, for use on weekends, a point about which there have been some misunderstandings by people who think that any organization can just go up and use Camp Forty Acres any time it wishes.

Wilmington Youth Camps also owns three acres of land in Homestead Park, shown as a white area in this sketch. This land was donated by two sources, one being the late Rev. Arthur Simmons of the Congregational Church, who donated land to be called Camp Oman, in memory of a former Boy Scout Master of Wilmington, and the rest of the land being donated by a person unknown to the Town Crier in memory of the late Henrietta Swain, former Wilmington school teacher, and one of the two sisters from whom the Swain School is named.

Northerly of Camp Forty Acres is a twenty acre tract of land owned by a Henry Brooks of Winthrop, and southerly is a larger tract of almost forty-five acres, once the land of the Somerville Rod & Gun Club, and before that a pig farm, and the site of a 1923 bootlegging operation. Lately it has been the property of John Earl Dick, an attorney who lives in Bedford.

The entire area is wooded, and the Wilmington Planning Board proposes that it be made into an area to be called the North Wilmington Town Forest.

Arthur Harding, chairman of the Planning Board has suggested that if a North Wilmington Town Forest is made, then that portion of Ballardvale Road that goes through Homestead Park should be discontinued.

HAROLD FOLEY WILL PLAN ROTARIANS SPRING CONFERENCE

Harold Foley, owner of the Shamrock Liquor Store at Wilmington Plaza, and past President of the Wilmington Rotary Club will serve as co-chairman of the committee appointed to plan the Annual Spring Conference of Rotary International District 70.

According to preliminary plans, many interesting Rotary programs will be featured at the event, which customarily highlights the Rotary year.

Planning for community nursing.

Planning for your Community Nursing Services will be the subject for discussion at a meeting to be held by the Health Planning Council for Greater Boston next Tuesday at the Woburn High School at 7:30 pm.

The purpose will be to inform community residents, agencies, and providers of health of what community programs and services exist in their area. Why, for instance, is there a nursing service which provides an elderly health program in Arlington, Lexington, Burlington, and Wilmington, but none in Winchester or Woburn? Why aren't immunization clinics available in all the towns? Why aren't pre-school vision and hearing screening programs done routinely in all of these towns?

The Health Planning Council for Greater Boston is a private, non-profit agency which seeks to provide a forum whereby community residents and providers of health can join together to plan for the health needs in particular geographic areas. Area 315 is one such area and consists of representatives from six towns: Arlington, Burlington, Lexington, Winchester, Woburn, and Wilmington. The Area 315 Health

Planning Committee has been working through its Subcommittee on Community Nursing Services in identifying those nursing services which the schools, board of health, and Visiting Nurses Association are providing.

They found, for instance, that there is no occupational therapist, speech therapist, social worker, or health aide available to the residents of Burlington or Wilmington. Winchester has no occupational therapist, social worker, or health aide. On the other hand, Arlington, Lexington, and Woburn have all of these services available to them. The question must be asked why some towns have these services and some do not. In most cases, the agency will reply that it is a question of cost, not having enough money available.

The subcommittee would like to present this kind of information to the residents and providers of health. In addition, there will be a panel discussion. Mrs. Ariene Love, from Blue Cross-Blue Shield will be available to discuss future insurance coverage. William Wilson, Director of Regional Programs, Health Planning Council for Greater Boston will be

available to discuss coordination and regionalization of health services. Roger Dvorak, Administrator from Symmes Hospital will speak on the concept of continuing care, and the problems hospitals have in terms of discharge planning. Edward Kovar, United Community Services, will be available to discuss funding arrangements as well as examples of agencies coming together and some of the problems involved.

All residents of the six towns are urged to attend this public meeting. Questions should be directed to the Region III Health Planning office at 891-0015.

BEELINE FASHION SHOW

A Beeline Fashion Show will be held on Wednesday, March 6th at 8 pm at the VFW Hall, on Main Street, Wilmington. The public is invited to see the variety of spring fashions. The show is sponsored by the VFW Ladies Auxiliary 2498.

BATES CLUB DINNER FRIDAY MARCH 8

The Boston Bates Club will hold its annual dinner meeting, Friday, March 8th at the Bethany Congregational Church, Spear and Coddington Streets in Quincy. Dinner will begin at 7 pm.

From the Lewiston, Maine campus, the Bates College Choir and Collegium Musicum, a total of some seventy voices, will join in this event.

Prior to the concert, which will begin at 8:30 pm, there will be a brief business meeting.

RICHARD BUCK CO-EDITOR, HOTOGAMIT

Richard W. Buck of 343 Chestnut St., Wilmington, a sophomore in physics at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology is co-editor of the September, 1974 edition of HOTOGAMIT - an information handbook subtitled "How to Get Around MIT."

The Wilmington Ski Club is sponsoring a ski trip to Vail Colorado

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MRS. ROBERT CHESTER, Wilmington, and Mrs. William Seekins, Tewksbury.

Mrs. Robert Chester of Wilmington and Mrs. William Seekins of Tewksbury, Neighborhood Chairmen for Baldwin Neighborhood of the Merrimack River Girl Scout Council, attended the annual Cookie Sale luncheon February 13, at the Andover Country Club.

The luncheon served to officially kick off the 1974 Girl Scout cookie sale, an event which not only offers a pleasant experience to thousands of sets of taste buds in the area, but also helps to bring in much-needed funds to the Scouting program.

The troops receive a percentage for each box one of their members sells. This money goes into the troop treasury, which is used for such items as craft materials, camping equipment, and social service projects.

The Council's share of the profits is used toward camping

operations, chiefly repairs, renovations and expansion of existing facilities so that each year more girls can enjoy what camping offers.

Another part of the cookie sale money is available for special projects involving not only Merrimack River Girl Scout Council, but other councils in the Northeast region as well. In many cases, girls are able to participate in fun-filled, innovative learning experiences in other regions of the country or of the world, as part of Girl Scouting's "Wider Opportunities" program.

Scouting is much more than cookie sales, but cookie sales are largely what make the other facets possible. Girl Scouts will be taking orders for the cookies from March 18, with delivery the week of April 22.

The girls will appreciate your support.

There are always Girl Scouts at Blue and Gold banquets



PATTY VAYO. She keeps her eye on the tables.

The Blue and Gold Banquet Season is just about over. That's when Boy Scout troops and Cub Scout packs celebrate their official birthdays. Some official, representing church or other sponsoring organization presents the official charter. It is a lot of fun.

The editor of the Town Crier is invited to many of the banquets. Generally it is a chicken dinner, but the editor will not attend for a chicken dinner. He is allergic to those old feathered clucks.

Always, sort of in the background, are Girl Scouts. They are smiling, pleasant, happy to be waiting on tables. They are (almost) the unsung heroines of the Blue and Gold banquets.

Patty Vayo of Boutwell Street, Wilmington was one of the Girl Scouts to serve. Patty is a First Class Scout. She has a pin on her



WHAT IS A BLUE & GOLD BANQUET FOR? It's for Boring, of course. John Pierce, David Webster and Paul Winnat of the Pack 59 banquet.



SALUTING THE FLAG: That's serious business. Bob Mjole and Jan Cox, Den 1, Pack 59.

dress to show her rank and there is another to show that she is qualified in First Aid. There is also a name badge.

Patty also wears a Mickey Mouse badge on her dress. That's for fun, and that was what attracted the editor's eye.

Tewksbury Lions really active

The Tewksbury Lions Club has a great number of important upcoming events. In addition to hearing state energy Czar John Verani speak, the club has been involved in many activities lately.

Club members will run a special vision screening clinic at the Ann Sullivan School at Tewksbury Hospital March 2. They took on the job at the request of George Guick, director of the school. Forty children with various disabilities attend there.

Celebrations for the 19th anniversary of the Tewksbury club's charter will be held March 16 at the Christian Information Centre. There will be dining, dancing and general merry-making.

The club expects to receive packages of tea from Lion Daya Wakista, of the Nuggeta Lions Club of Sri Lanka in the Far East. He is also director of international relations in Sri Lanka, formerly known as Ceylon.

The Nuggeta Lions Club has expressed a desire to twin with the Tewksbury Lions.

In recent weeks members heard Charles F. Myers, president of Electro-Motion, manufacturers of electric automobiles. He provided insight into the economics and feasibility of commuting by electric car.

The club sponsored a bus by the Tewksbury Memorial High School basketball team to see the Boston College - University of Massachusetts game in Brookline February 6.

Miss Dorothy Work, home service director of Lowell Gas Company, talked about petrochemicals at the club's February 13 meeting. State Rep. George Sacco, Jr., of Medford, was scheduled to speak to the club February 27.

Members welcomed Richard "Dick" Morris, Harvey Farr and Richard "Dick" James into the club.

MIKE DIGREGORIO NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST

Mike DiGregorio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. DiGregorio of 7 Moore Street, Wilmington has been named to the Dean's List at Merrimack College for the Fall semester.

Mike is majoring in American Studies Teaching. In order for a student to be included on the Dean's List at Merrimack, the student must have achieved a semester average of 3.30 or above on a 4.00 scale.

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JAMES P. RADOCIA, Of 265 Waburn Street, Wilmington is the young man of the right, in this picture from MIT. A team of student engineers are developing a free swimming underwater robot, which, MIT says, will patrol coastal waters searching for the remains of sunken ships carrying 50 pounds of scientific equipment.

How many sunken ships carry 50 pounds of scientific equipment?



AWARDS FOR CUB SCOUTS: Tom Mawn of the Tewksbury School Committee hands out awards to Cub Scouts of Pack 49.

Twenty two senior citizens guests of Kiwanis

The Wilmington Kiwanis played host, Monday night, to twenty two senior citizens, at a dinner held in the Anchor, in Tewksbury. The menu was veal parmigiana.

The dinner was for men, over 65. The Wilmington Kiwanians have been doing this each year.

The guest speaker was from Perkins Institute. His subject was Industrial Arts - Education of the Blind. Among those who complimented the speaker on his program was Alex Goldsworthy of Church Street.

EIGHT AREA STUDENTS ON DEAN'S LIST AT AUSTIN

Two students from Tewksbury and six from Wilmington have been named to the Dean's List at Austin Prep for the first semester, 1973-74.

Included from Tewksbury are Michael Cronin and Louis Cappuccia.

Those from Wilmington are: Richard Dunn, James Peters, John Kraszneciewicz, Andrew Stone, Paul Bovitz and John Dunn.

Lloyd Belbin is Andover Lieutenant

The Town of Andover has a new police lieutenant who is well known in Wilmington. The promotion of Sgt. Lloyd Belbin, Wilmington High School graduate was announced last week.

Lt. Belbin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Belbin of Morse Avenue. He moved to Andover in 1962, and has been a permanent patrolman in the Andover Department since 1967. He was promoted to sergeant in January 1972.



HE GOT FIRED ANYWAY: Ed Bowley of the Tewksbury Rotary Club had some explaining to do last week at Rotary. It seems Ed ended up the owner of part of a Lions Club meeting, complete with amblered badge, after a joint meeting with the Tewksbury Lions Club. Ed got no sympathy from President Lew Tremblay of the Tewksbury Rotary.

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**Alan E.
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Asked by the League of Women Voters

Selectmen questions

1. Do you favor any of the plans for the proposed relocation and improvements to Route 129? If so, which one and why?

2. What can be done to help keep the tax rate as low as possible?

3. What do you see as Wilmington's biggest problems?

4. Do you see a need for more public transportation in Wilmington? If so, what do you see as the alternatives?

James F. Banda

Background: Candidate for re-election to the Board of Selectmen. Plan A. With some modification at the terminus of Lowell and Main Street (Route 129 & 38). This has been a long time coming, land-taking will completely make it prohibited if something is not done. A by-pass was planned in 1957 which would have been a much better solution. It certainly has been studied enough. We should take positive action before it becomes a hardship on those to be affected.

2. Continue to fight State and County assessment, presently the State has signed into law making us pay for benefits and assorted regulations without providing funds for us to pay.

3. The erosion of our Home Rule is one of many. Preserve our open space and continue plan growth, the attitude of those are to scrap all ecology - pollution and the like in order to push their own selfish purpose.

4. No. I can only see those who are within the MBTA being assessed more, particularly the suburbs. This should be a State Mass Transit, because the plan is now to pick up all outside the MBTA. They will not pay and we will be ending up paying for the massive planning, traffic, police and other related problems. Presently they should concentrate on improving the railroad system, also plan for a rapid transit line over the old railroad tracks. This being a State and Federal Funding project not an assessment to the local towns.

George W. Boyle, Jr.

Background: Graduate of Wilmington High School and the University of Massachusetts; former member and chairman of the finance committee and present member of the board of selectmen.

1. Yes, the plan that has been approved by the board of selectmen. To ease traffic conditions through Wilmington Center.

2. Last year the town tax rate went down \$2.00 while the school budget went up \$9.00, leaving a net increase of \$7.00. State law prohibits selectmen, finance com-

mittee, town manager or town meeting from cutting the school budget. Wilmington now receives revenue from the Federal sharing program, lottery and taxes from some new industries, but even these are not keeping up with our expenditures. I would like to see more people attend town meeting and follow the Finance Committee budget recommendations. Until this happens the tax rate will continue to climb unreasonably.

3. The alarming rate of property tax increases and the general apathy toward town affairs. Unless we all get really concerned, those on low or fixed incomes will be priced out of town.

4. Wilmington's public transportation is controlled by the MBTA at a cost of \$209,971 per year. In spite of this payment the MBTA has reduced our service by eliminating the bus to Lowell over the objections of the Board of Selectmen. State law prohibits us from withdrawing from the MBTA and entering an alternate program.

Moderator question

1. Do you think Wilmington is outgrowing the "open town meeting" and moving toward "representative town government"?

John M. Callan

Background: Town Moderator, 1969 to present; practicing attorney; Boston College Law School, J.D.; Boston College, cum laude, B.S.; Permanent Building Committee, 1966-1969.

1. We in New England have something unique and something I'm certain you will agree is worth preserving. I am referring, of course, to our "open town meeting" form of government which is the last pure form of democracy left to us.

With the passage of each year it becomes more rare, in some instances because local auditoriums are not able to physically accommodate interested voters. In other instances, unfortunately, because public apathy and lack of participation results in a change to "representative town government."

Open town meetings provide a forum for voters and taxpayers to let elected officials know directly how they feel on any given issue and thereby make them more responsive to the needs and wishes of the community. We can learn a lesson from the young people of today who talk of involvement and communication. A town meeting is a forum where your elected and appointed officials can be questioned and give an accounting of their stewardship. Represent-

tative government dilutes this personal involvement. Fortunately, Wilmington, at this stage of its development is able to meet the physical requirements necessary for the efficient operation of open town meetings and yet insure true citizen interest and participation in our system of direct democracy.

School committee questions

1. Do you favor a new High School? If so, do you favor an open campus for the High School?

2. Would you favor re-starting the Adult Education program in the High School?

3. Do you feel the implementation of the Kindergarten Program has been successful?

4. What do you see as the School System's greatest need other than space at the present time?

5. Would more sidewalks allow more children to walk to school?

John D. Boschee

Background: Chairman, Wilmington School Committee; former chairman and member, Wilmington Board of Selectmen.

1. Basically I recognize the need for additional classrooms. Initially I proposed an addition to the present high school. When that was rejected, I supported plans for a new high school as the most feasible way to provide the additional facilities. If that is not accepted, another way must be found to provide the necessary space.

Open campus is a confusing term. It means many different things to different people. If in this context, the question is: should high schools be conducted on the same unsupervised manner as colleges, my answer is no. If it means, on the other hand, a more flexible utilization of space and facilities, that is precisely what is being designed into the plans for a new high school. Even in that regard, however, it has not been demonstrated that it is necessary to abandon the idea of interior walls.

2. Yes. The Evening school program was dropped a year ago only as a temporary measure. Adult education need not be confined to the Evening school program conducted in the past. The School Committee is presently studying other ways.

3. It would be premature to make such a judgement now. The progress reports have been encouraging and anything that adds to the dimensions of children's education must be regarded as worthwhile. The degree of the kindergarten program's success will better be determined after some of the children have

progressed to the first and second grades.

4. Improved curriculum and teaching capability; greater community interest in education; reappraisal of priorities; heightened challenge to the talented student to balance the expenditures now required for the less gifted child; a total rejection of mediocrity.

5. Yes. The advantage of reducing the number of children who have to be bused is obvious. Much more important, in my opinion, is the fact that busing, portal to portal, robs many children of experiences which help teach independence and self reliance.

David J. Dingle

Background: High School graduate, graduate of Andover Institute of Business. Almost four years in the US Army. Over 18 months in Japan and Korea during 1951-1952. Frequent attendance at School Committee meetings and at the negotiations with teachers.

1. Can the town afford a new High School? Only the taxpayers can answer that question. I favor an atmosphere that will let both pupils and teachers learn.

2. It should never have been stopped! Adult education is just as important as regular secondary school. I believe the few budget cuts we had were poorly chosen. I also do not agree with the proposed tuition charges for Summer School.

3. Yes it has, and the reports on the program show it to be successful. Children and adults learn from new experiences. As long as the channeling is not too narrow, the program will work.

4. Everyone is sure that space is the greatest need. I'm not sure that is true. I think that stabilization of the educational programs might be better. New ideas come along every year. Does it really pay to try them out? The new math, is one such program. You may have noticed that it leaves a lot to be desired.

5. Sidewalks would increase safety for younger children. Still, how many parents want their younger children walking to school in the dark? Daylight saving time might be around for a long time. Sidewalks don't stop the hitchhiking to school.

Harry J. Landers

Background: Member of Wilmington School Committee, Sick Leave Bank Committee, Advisory member of Wilmington's Association for Children with Learning Disabilities; member of Woburn Scholarship Committee, Government/Education student at Merrimack College, professional insurance broker at Wilcox-Hodges Insurance Agency, Woburn.

1. A new high school is an educational necessity which I support. I would, however, find it difficult to support any specific plan which does not recognize existing economic reality.

I favor open campus to the extent that it provides students with a great choice of learning activities. This is not to indicate though, that school should be lax in its responsibility toward the safety of the students or the physical condition of the building.

2. Rather than a return to the traditional adult education program, I favor the building of a

Community Education Program serving toward the entire town - parents, teachers, businessmen and young people, in what would be a largely self-supporting, tuition paid venture. I have already initiated efforts to bring Middlesex Community College to Wilmington, as a primary step toward this goal.

3. I have been extremely impressed in this early period in the existence of Kindergarten in our program. Wilmington is fortunate to have an excellent staff in its Kindergarten whose enthusiasm for learning is contagious. Anyone who may have forgotten how to smile should visit our Kindergarten.

4. Look forward to the growth of our Family Living Program throughout the Wilmington School System. Although Wilmington has led the way in this area, we still have a long way to go before we can call ourselves successful. Every trip to the hospital for a stomach pump, every unwanted pregnancy, every arrest for breaking and entering and every drunken brawl is a painful reminder of our failures in this area.

5. The effect of more sidewalks would be minimal, as far as allowing more children to walk to school. It would, however, vastly improve the safety factor for youngsters who already walk on dangerous roads.

Housing Authority questions

1. Can the Housing Authority take any steps to improve existing sub-standard housing?

2. Are the housing needs of low and moderate income families and senior citizens being met in Wilmington at the present time? If not, how should these needs be met?

Bruce Gordon

Background: Currently attending Wilmington High School and Shawheen Valley Technical High School.

1. What I've seen of the homes, there's nothing wrong with them. I think this question would go under Urban Renewal. Anything that is done to the project is only done if it needs to be done. As of right now we need more housing for the elderly. Right now there is no room and they have a long waiting list.

2. No, they are not. Get Federal and State aid.

Barbara H. Larson

Background: Work at organizing and participating in the development of the Recreation Department activities for senior citizens. Mother of three children. Husband is a trucking company executive.

1. No. The Town of Wilmington does not contain multi-dwelling units and the State does not find it feasible to work with single units.

2. No. The way it could be done is to have a structure survey taken of low and moderate income families and senior citizens to determine the needs of the community.

Shawheen Tech School Committee questions

1. Do you see a need for still further expansion?

2. Do you foresee any additional programs being developed to attract more girls? If so, what are they?

Eugene L. Krieter

Background: Candidate for re-election, six years experience Vice Chairman; four years, Chairman; Long Range Planning Committee, two years; Manager at Raytheon Company in areas of engineering and product assurance; Senior

"WHAT IS WRONG WITH SCHOOL?"

Ask the students! Many of them seem to think it's too dull.

The Classics are fine for English Literature majors. Hamlet doesn't help the Industrial Arts students.

Where possible, we should shape the course to fit the student. It's wrong to make students fit the course.

PLEASE VOTE ON SAT., March 2nd

DAVID J. DINGLE
CANDIDATE
WILMINGTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Member of the Institute for Electrical and Electronic Engineers; graduate of Marquette University, Electrical Engineering, 1955; Navy officer and veteran.

1. I assume this question is aimed at a larger building as vocational and technical education will continue to expand in the region. This expansion will not necessarily mean a larger regional school, but will integrate the regional school's resources into the member towns. Shawheen Tech was too small when it opened, and Phase II is a partial solution. However, before the school committee requested expansion we used afternoon programs; summer school and night school to try to meet the demand. We currently serve 700 students in regular day school; 300 in the afternoon program; 350 in the summer school; and 800 in night school, in a school designed for 600 students.

We have hired an area coordinator so that we can integrate town high school programs with Shawheen's programs. In the future, Shawheen may teach grades 10 through 12 with grade nine exploratory programs in the high schools of the five towns and serve more students without a larger building. It should be noted that the first afternoon program in the state and the first area coordinator were established by Shawheen Tech.

2. This question is frequently asked by the boys at Shawheen Tech. Girls are a part of our current secretarial sciences, chemistry lab technician, culinary arts, drafting, and distributive education programs. In the expansion of the school, we have included programs in cosmetology, data processing, health care/child care, photography and graphic arts which are currently acceptable vocations for young women.

Our current social changes are obviously changing our vocational schools. Female auto mechanics, electronic technicians and carpenters are establishing their own reputations in fields that have been dominated by males. The near future will probably not discriminate in the vocations of our young women as much as we've seen in the past and allow young women to have greater freedom in career choice. Shawheen is preparing for that day.

JOHN R. DEISINGLER
HONORED

John R. Deisingler of Sheridan Rd., Wilmington has been elected a Fellow of the Massachusetts Society of Certified Public Accountants. He is the Audit Supervisor with Gordon, Harrington and Osborne & CPA firm in Andover. Mr. Deisingler is a graduate of Ohio State University where he received his MBA in accounting and data processing in 1969.

The Massachusetts Society of CPA's is an organization of over 3400 members founded in 1900 to promote and maintain the high standards of accounting. The Society has continually worked for the profession through the voluntary efforts of its members.

TOWN OF WILMINGTON

BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING 8-74

A public hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on Tuesday evening, March 12, 1974 at 7:00 p.m. on the application of Richard Mackey, Jr., 182 Taft Road for a variance to erect a swimming pool on a non-conforming lot (Assessor's Map 7-52A) at 182 Taft Road and to erect the pool within the required side yard.

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Please Remember to Vote on March 2, 1974

10 A.M. to 8 P.M.
Wilmington High School

TOWN OF WILMINGTON

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 7:45 p.m. on Monday, March 4, 1974, at the office of the Board of Selectmen, in compliance with the General Laws, on the application of Volkswagen of America, Inc., 100 Fordham Road, Wilmington, on which there are three buildings used for warehousing and distribution of auto parts, for a license to store 250 gallons of Diesel Fuel in aboveground tanks, for a Fire Pump at 100 Fordham Road. A plot plan is made part of this application.

James F. Banda, Chmn.
Board of Selectmen

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James F. Banda, Chmn.
Board of Selectmen

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James F. Banda, Chmn.
Board of Selectmen

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PUBLIC HEARING

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

PUBLIC HEARING

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James F. Banda, Chmn.
Board of Selectmen

TOWN OF WILMINGTON

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8:15 p.m. on Monday, March 4, 1974, at the office of the Board of Selectmen, in compliance with the provisions of General Laws, on the application of Charles River Breeding Laboratories, 251 Ballardvale Street, Wilmington, for a license to store an additional 3,000 gallons of gasoline underground, on a lot of land located at 251 Ballardvale Street, Wilmington, on which there are twelve buildings, used as a breeding laboratory, animals, agriculture, with fuel presently stored underground to the capacity of 4,000-gallons (oil), bringing the total flammable materials stored to the capacity of 9,000 gallons. A plot plan is made part of this application.

James F. Banda, Chmn.
Board of Selectmen

TOWN OF WILMINGTON

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8:25 p.m. on Monday, March 4, 1974, at the office of the Board of Selectmen, in compliance with the General Laws, on the application of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Beret, 96 Concord Road, Billerica, for a license to store 4,000 gallons of gasoline in underground tanks on a lot of land located at 55 Main Street, Wilmington, on which there is one building used as a retail business. A plot plan is made part of this application.

James F. Banda, Chmn.
Board of Selectmen

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James Durkee, Chmn.
Board of Health



Harry Landers

Political Advertisement

68 Clark Street, Wilmington

ELECT BRUCE GORDON



Wilmington Housing Authority

SATURDAY MARCH 2ND

Where will our Senior Citizens go when they can no longer support themselves?

Wilmington's Daring Way has 40 apartments. Wilmington has 1500 Senior Citizens.

If elected, I will devote all my efforts towards:

MORE APARTMENTS

for SENIOR CITIZENS

Vote For BRUCE GORDON

HOUSING AUTHORITY
A. Daniel Gibbs
Randolph Road

SPORTS

Steve Neal, the Huskie's stalwart blueliner



One of the more successful franchises in the newly formed New England Junior Hockey league are the Skate - 3 Huskies who play out of the new three rink complex in Tyngsboro, Mass. A prime factor in the league leading Huskies success stems in part from the outstanding defensive play of former Wilmington High star Steve Neal.

Steve's rugged, aggressive, professional style of hockey make his defensive lane one of the most feared by opposing forwards, who's rushing attempts usually end up in a clanking body check from young Neal. Steve's hockey career started on the ponds about age six then moved into the youth hockey programs in Melrose and Wilmington. While at Melrose, Steve was a member of the 1967 N.E. Bantam champion Melrose Kings. While at Wilmington High, Steve participated in four years of hockey under coach Al Fessenden, being a member of the 1971 and

1972 sextets which captured the Merrimack Valley Championship two years straight. In his senior year he was elected team captain, and was also selected on the Merrimack Valley Conference All-Star Team.

After graduation Steve attended New Preparatory School in Cambridge. New Prep is a small school by enrollment standards, but is a giant by N.E. Prep school hockey standards. Steve became a standout member of the 72-73 hockey squad which was the number one ranked prep school in New England.

Prior to joining the Huskies this year, Steve, by invitation attended the training camp of the top ranked Quebec League Laval Nationals. This background, in addition to the competent coaching and guidance with the Huskie staff lead many observers around the league to feel that young Mr. Neal's road to the pro-ranks may not be too long.

Little League sign-up this Saturday

This Saturday morning, March 2nd at ten o'clock will be the final day to sign up for the coming Little League baseball season. Youngsters who are on July 31, 1974 will be nine through 12 are eligible for Little League; ages 13-15 are eligible for Senior League.

The sign-up will take place at American Legion Hall on Middlesex Avenue. New players and boys who played in the farms, minors, senior minors last year must register this season.

All who sign up will participate in the program. Tryout dates will be announced shortly.

Lombard member of Bates women's hoop squad



Michele Lombard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lombard of Glen Rd., Wilmington is a member of the 1973-74 women's basketball team at Bates College, Lewiston, Maine.

Michele, a freshman and Dean's List student is also active in the Sailing Club and the Bates Outing Club.

HOW THEY STAND

STANDINGS ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 27, 1974

WILMINGTON REC BASKETBALL

Adults

10-2

Newhouse Builders

Super Stars

Wilmington Ford

Lucky Ducks

Silver Lake Pharmacy

Converse Builders

Analogue Devices

Next Games @ HS gym

Wed. March 6: Newhouse vs Super Stars (8 pm)

Thurs. March 7: Ducks vs Silver Lake (8 pm)

Junior Girls

Fawns

Pandas

Bunnies

Kittens

Next Games @ HS gym

Wed. March 6: Kittens vs Bunnies (5:30 pm)

Thurs. March 7: Fawns vs Pandas (5:30 pm)

Senior Girls

Jades

Opals

Crystals

Rubys

Emeralds

Next Games @ HS gym

Wed. March 6: Rubys vs Emeralds (6:15 pm)

Intermediate Boys

Hawks

Ravens

Jaws

Owls

Next Games @ HS gym

Wed. March 6: Ravens vs Owls (7:15 pm)

Mon. March 11: Hawks vs Ravens (5:30 pm)

Eagles vs Owls (6:15 pm)

Junior Boys

Patriots

Chiefs

Chargers

Jets

Raiders

Broncos

Lions

Tigers

Next Games @ HS gym

Thurs. March 7: Chargers vs Raiders (6:15 pm)

Mon. March 11: Broncos vs Tigers (7:00 pm)

Senior Boys

Knicks

Celtics

Bullets

Pistons

Lakers

Royals

Next Game @ HS gym

Thurs. March 7: Knicks vs Bullets (7 pm)

WILMINGTON YOUTH HOCKEY LEAGUE

Spirits

10-2

Gulls

Blades

Rockets

Buckaroos

Rollercoasters

Spurs

Checkers

Next Games @ WYLA

Fri. March 1: Rockets vs Blades (6 pm)

Sat. March 2: Buckaroos vs Rockets (6 am)

Spirits

Braves

Americans

Bears

Aces

Voyagers

Next Games @ WYLA

Fri. March 1: Braves vs Voyagers (6:40 pm)

Sat. March 2: Braves vs Clippers (6:30 pm)

Sun. March 3: Aces vs Americans (6 am)

Fox Wee

Canucks

Kings

Flyers

Blues

Sabres

Seals

No Stars

Perquins

Next Games @ WYLA

Sat. March 2: Sabres vs Seals (5 am)

Sun. March 3: Blues vs Canucks (6 am)

Flyers vs Kings (9 am)

No Stars vs Perquins (11:10 am)

Bantams

Canadiens

Hawks

Bruins

Red Wings

Leafs

Next Games @ WYLA

Fri. March 1: Hawks vs Leafs (11 pm)

Sat. March 2: Bruins vs Canadiens (6 am)

Wed. March 6: Leafs vs Red Wings (8:30 pm)

Midgets

Bombers

Cougars

Knights

Tigers

Generals

Next Games @ WYLA

Fri. March 1: Knights vs Tigers (9:30 pm)

Sat. March 2: Generals vs Bombers (9:40 pm)

Cougars vs Tigers (10:30 pm)

MVC BASKETBALL

Final standings

TEWKSBURY

Central Catholic

Andover

Chelmsford

Billerica

Dracut

Methuen

WILMINGTON

Austin Prep

MERRIMACK VALLEY GIRLS HOCKEY LEAGUE

Nashua

7-1-18

Wilmington Recs

Andover

No Middlesex

Haverhill

Chelmsford

Next Games

Tue. March 5: Nashua vs Andover (6 pm Forum)

Sat. March 2: RECS vs Haverhill (6 pm Forum)

Sun. March 3: No. Middlesex vs Nashua (7 pm Forum)

Mon. March 4: No. Middlesex vs Andover (6 pm Forum)

Tue. March 5: RECS vs Chelmsford (6 pm Forum)

NO. WILMINGTON MERCHANTS BOWLING LEAGUE

Jewett

Step & Go

No. Wm. Pharmacy

Trade, 2nd

American Travelers

Milton

Nap On

No. Wm. Shell

High Station, 2nd Street

Joe Koffman, 555 Jim Canfield, 545

Lorraine Burt, 600, Kellie DeCosta, 54

Diane Hancock, 427

High Game: Lynn Hunt, 212, Art

McMullen, 208, Bud Estabrook, 20

Joe Jennings, 182, Jean Lemack, 139

Sharon Burt, 150 and Lorraine Burt, 150

WILMINGTON GOLDEN AGERS BOWLING LEAGUE

George Boylen Sr. walked off with

top scoring honors in the Wilmington

Golden Agers' bowling Bowling

League last week. Training him by

only one pin was George Justice and

third man was Bill Scott.

Team A won two and lost two points,

team B won two lost two.

Interested seniors are urged to call

Joe McLellan for information on

joining the league. It is not necessary

to be a member of the Golden Age

Club. The only requirements state that

members must be over sixty years old

and residents of Wilmington.

KINGS OF ITALY BOWLING LEAGUE

Croton

Roberta

Toby Bears

Flamingo

Stunks

Bulldogs

Singers

Opelunks

Pondus

Bullmoose

Mustangs

Fores

High Single: John Quinn, 123 and

Kay Melzer, 120

High Triple: Fred Bellissimo, 229

and Kay Melzer, 310

WILMINGTON RECREATION TIDBITS



JIM WIDLEY. Of the Lucky Ducks lays in a two pointer up and over Dave Kerenberg of Newhouse Builders in last Saturday's Recreation Basketball Adult club. Ed Hurlston (17) and Gary Wendorf (25) of the Ducks await a possible rebound, while Dave McLean (50) looks on with despair.

Basketball...

SAT. FEB. 23...The Pandas moved into second place in the girls junior loop with a 24-8 triumph over the wingless Kittens to open the twelve game slate at the high school gym. Judy Nee and Jane Theriault led the Pandas with 10 and eight points respectively, while four different Kittens scored a field goal apiece.

In the second game, the Fawns posted their eleventh straight win with a 30-20 triumph over stubborn Bunnies quintet. Sherry Bearse tossed in 10 and Diane Doyle and Diane Coye added eight each for the champion Fawns. Susan Rowe took game high scoring honors

scoring 16 points for the third place Bunnies.

The Opals clinched at least a third place finish with a 24-20 victory over the Crystals in the opening of the senior girls' triple header. Coach Nancy DeWilde's club jumped out to a 6-4 half time lead and this held up despite a strong second half comeback by the improved Crystals.

Beth Harrison and Lynda Pintrich paced the Opals with eight points each, while Ellen O'Rourke led the Crystals attack with eight.

The division leading Jades bounced back from their lone defeat a week ago with a convincing 34-16 triumph over the cellar dwelling Emeralds. Coach Ginny Hastings' girls led by three, 12-9 at half time, but the Jades erupted behind the ten point scoring of Lydia Nolan for a 22-9 second half edge.

Laura Miller and Miss Nolan shared the scoring lead with 13 points each. Debbie Cook and Maureen Baker slipped by the undermanned Rubys.

The Patriots edged the Chiefs, 27-25 in double overtime in a battle for the junior boys lead. In a nail biting affair, the Chiefs jumped out to a 9-6 half time edge and maintained their lead until the waning moments of the contest, when the Patriots tied the score behind the efforts of Chris Nolan and Peter McMillan.

The lead exchanged hands a couple of times before ending regulation play at 19-19.

In the first extra frame the Patriots jumped out 21-19 on a Steve Welch basket but Gary Hastings tied it for the Chiefs and then the Patriots went ahead 25-24 with only seconds left. Bill Liston made good on one of two free throws to knot the score at 25-25 to set the stage for another extra session.

Neither side could gain an advantage in the second overtime as turnovers plagued both clubs. Steve Welch scored the game winning basket late in the frame to move the Patriots into first place, one half game ahead of the Chiefs with a game in hand. Eric Wood took game-high scoring honors tossing in 12 for the Chiefs, while Welch and McMillan led the Patriots with eight and seven points respectively.

The Raiders improved their record to 6-6 with a 26-16 victory over the winless Tigers in the second junior game. Vinny McCoy led the Schiavone-Coolidge quintet with 12 points, while Craig Vukobratovic tossed in seven for Stan Riley's Tigers.

The Jets whipped the Broncos, 35-15 behind the balanced scoring of Bob Grant (10) Greg Wood (six)

and Paul Burke (six). Jim Marsi led the Broncos with six points. The Chargers stayed within a game of the Patriots and Chiefs with a 29-17 victory over the hustling Lions. Neil Wetzel led a well balanced Chargers scoring attack with nine points, while Paul Bush took game high scoring honors tossing in 12 for the Lions.

The Pistons jumped out to a 35-23 halftime lead enroute to a 48-43 triumph over the Lakers in the lone senior boys game played. Bob Walsh and Dale Martin led Coach Mulno's club with 18 and 15 points respectively. Jim Stewart tossed in 15 for the Lakers, while Steve Winchell and Steve Woods added 11 and eight.

In the opening contest of the adult twin bill, Wilmington Ford slammed converse, Rubber, 88-47 behind the scoring of Jim Maxwell (27). The Ford club moved into second place one half game ahead of the idle Super-Stars with the victory.

Others in double figures for Ford were Frank Leverone (12), Steve Donahue (12), Bob Flores (14), and Bob Noel (10). Bill Chambers and George Arthur led Converse with 14 and 11 points respectively.

The final saw Lucky Ducks knock off the division leading Newhouse Builders, 85-70. The Ducks trailed 18-17 after one period, but that's all as the green and white quintet posted leads of 39-31 and 62-46 at the middle stanza breaks. Jim Tisdley and Paul Abare led the Ducks with 28 and 22 points each, while Vin Spano chipped in with 15. Cliff Clark hooped 23 for the Newhouse club and Kave Kerenberg added 16 and Dave McLain had 14.

Sun. Feb. 24...In the senior boys twin bill, the Celtics jumped out to a 25-10 lead in the first half and maintained it throughout to whip the Royals, 49-40 and the Knicks edged the Bullets, 33-31 in overtime.

Mark Smith and Mark West led the Celts with 22 and 11 points respectively, while Joe Thomas and Jim Collidge scored 14 and eight each for the past place Royals.

The Bullets came back from a five-point (19-14) half time deficit to tie the Knicks at 31-31 at the end of regulation play. However, Tom Stewart's lay-up with seven seconds left in the extra frame proved to be the difference in the contest. Dave Maloney (18) and Guy Schiavone (11) paced the Knicks, while Scott Gordon and Dave McMillan hit for 16 and 11 points respectively.

On the adult level, Newhouse ripped Analog, 94-48 to retain their first place standing. Pat Sigmund fired in a career high 41 points to lead the Builders attack, while Cliff Clark added 22. For Analog, Ken Richards tossed in 14 and Gene Baldwin chipped in with 12 and Doug Smith had 11.

In the nite cap of the four game program, defending champion Super-Stars pulled away from a stubborn Silver Lake Pharmacy in the final period enroute to an 83-60 victory. For three periods it was a close contest with the lead changing hands many times. The Stars led 57-50 going into the last stanza and it was a 36-16 advantage that gave the Stars their final

margin of victory. Mickey Sullivan took game high scoring honors tossing in 27 for Silver Lake, while Gino DiSarcina and George Pratt scored 22 and 21 respectively for the Stars.

Mon. Feb. 25...The Hawks upset the intermediate boys' leading Eagles, 10-8 in another overtime tilt, while the Ravens crushed the Owls, 18-3. Dan Munroe and Bob Towle led the Hawks with four points each, but it was Ed Moran's field goal in the extra session which proved to be the margin of difference. Dave Driscoll tossed in four points for the Eagles. Mike Sullivan and Mike Moran hit for six points each to lead the Ravens within a half game of the division lead.

In the only adult game listed, Lucky Ducks slipped by stubborn Converse Club, 80-72 to keep their slim title hopes alive. The Ducks went ahead to stay midway in the second period and led 34-25 at half time. In the second half the Ducks maintained their spread although Converse kept coming back. The Ducks made 16 of 35 free throws, while the Rubber quintet hit on 10 of 20 attempts. Vin Spano led the Ducks with 28 and Jim Tisdley tossed in 18. George Arthur and Bill Chambers led Converse with 18 and 14 points respectively.

Vacation Response: Last week's vacation programs emphasized the increasing need for expanded recreation activities in Wilmington. The gyms were filled to capacity with a total attendance of over 1,000 people for the four day period.

The free ice time on Tuesday and Thursday proved to be another crowd pleaser as over 200 people of all ages participated in each two hour session.

The only program last week that was not overrun was the Celtics trip, that being because the bus would only hold 46 people.

Dance Classes: The ballroom dancing class which received such overwhelming response passed its third session last night. Tom Parker, the instructor is providing a well diversified program, having already covered the alley cat, cha-cha, fox trot and waltz.

Information on a second class series will be forthcoming. Call the Rec. Office at 658-6512 and express days and times most desirable for this second class.

Girls ice hockey...

Thu. Feb. 21...The Recs Gold sextet ran their unbeaten streak to six with a 3-0 victory over No. Middlesex in MVGHL clash at the Billerica Forum. Junior net minder Cindy Laquidara stopped 13 No. Star shots while picking up her fifth shut out of the season.

Ceryl Cushing's 7th seasonal marker at 5:09 of the opening stanza proved to be the game winner as the diminutive center broke in alone to be the No. Middlesex goalie to the far side. Winger Joan Welch picked up an assist on the play.

Early in the final frame, the Recs made it 2-0 as Cushing scored on another breakaway with Welch assisting at the thirty second mark. With time running out in the game, Joan Welch closed out the scoring at 10:40 converting a Cushing pass from the right side.

Other standouts in the contest were defensemen Janet Zambardi, Ellie McVicker, Janice Gennetti and right winger Diane Pumphrey. The Recs maintained a wide 20-13 shots on net advantage.

Sat. Feb. 23...The Maroon squad ran their unbeaten streak to three and are now 1-2-2 following a 0-0 tie with Haverhill B's. Cathy Bristol stopped six Haverhill shots to bring her personal unbeaten streak to four and the sophomore goalie has a 0.25 goals against average in her last four outings.

Tue. Feb. 26...For most of the game, goalie Cindy Laquidara kept the league leading Nashua team off the score board with some outstanding net minding, but the Leafs kept digging and at 10:46 of the final stanza they knotted the score at 1-1 and that is the way it ended.

Laura Miller fired home her second seasonal marker at 9:34 of the opening frame to give the Recs a 1-0 lead. Mary Castaldi set the play up picking up a loose puck at the Nashua blue line and went in on a 2 on 1 break with Miss Miller and the hustling left winger tipped a goal mouth drive past a startled Donna Ethier in the Leafs' goal.

Overall Nashua carried the play to the Recs' firing 26 shots at Laquidara, but Cindy was equal to the task right up to the end,

WILMINGTON YOUTH HOCKEY

Intertown action...

Mike A (12-4-2)... The A's battling for the fourth place playoff spot defeated a tough Danvers sextet 5-2 last Monday. The big guns for Wilmington were John LaLiberte (two goals and an assist) and Sten Larson (one goal) and John Robson. Goalies Sunnerberg and Gentile were excellent in net. Other goal getters were K Smith and Louie Nolan.

Next Monday the A's close out their regular season against Winthrop at 5:10 pm. Hopefully Wilmington will be in the league playoffs when they are scheduled to start on March 18.

Mike B (15-3-3)... Wilmington continued their win streak by defeating Medford 2-0. After two scoreless periods, Sean Neill scored the game winner midway through the final frame with the lone assist going to Kevin Cullivan.

Mike Kidd scored the insurance goal assisted by Brian Sughrue and Dennis Moran. The defensive pairing of Moran and Darin Colarusso were excellent in stopping Medford. Billerica provides the opposition Saturday at 4:30 pm.

Squirt A (6-13-2)... First place Winthrop overpowered the A's last Sunday 9-1. Frank Divita's unassisted goal was the only bright spot in the drubbing. Netminder Keith Ford kicked aside 20 Winthrop shots, while Wilmington only managed six. The A's conclude their regular season Sunday at 3:30 against South Boston.

Squirt B (7-12-2)... The B's battled Medford 1 to a 3-3 tie last Sunday. Wilmington took a 1-0 first period lead on a goal by Daryl MacDonald assisted by Frank Newark and Bill Robinson. In the middle frame Medford came back with two goals of their own, however, John Cushing assisted by Newark and MacDonald tied the score at 2-2. Medford forged ahead again with a goal to make it 3-2. With two minutes left to play George Boudreau tied the contest for good with a short-handed goal assisted by Ronnie Greenberg. Wilmington finishes their winter season Sunday at 7:10 pm vs Stoneham.

Squirt B... In a make-up game from February 3, with Winthrop the B's were hammered 8-1 on February 27. Ron Greenberg assisted by Jeff Stouffer and Chris Turner tallied the lone Wilmington marker.

Pee Wee A's... The Pee Wee A's playing one of their best games of the season, handed Reading, only their second defeat of the season, 3-2. Reading took a 1-0 lead which they held until late in the second period, when a goal by Stephen Mickles, assisted by Steven Wingate and Matty Knox, tied it up. The A's scored twice more in the second period to take a 3-1 lead, on goals by Paul Sousa, assisted by Steven Connolly and Dana Kidd assisted by Billy Murphy and Billy McCann. Reading managed to score their final goal in the third period making it 3-2, but the A's playing an outstanding defensive game, held on for the win. The entire Pee Wee A team played outstandingly.

In the Saugus League, the A's dropped a hard fought, close

checking contest to Malden, 5-2. Goals for Wilmington were scored by Dana Kidd and Billy Murphy.

Pee Wee B (15-5-3)... Last Saturday the B's shutout No. Reading, 3-0. Paul Boudreau scored the game winner in the first period assisted by Tim McCann and Dennis Foley. Bob Greenberg added another score late in the stanza with Rich Robinson picking up the assist. In the final period Foley finished off the scoring with assists going to McCann and Boudreau. Goalenders Rick Ballou and Matt DePasquale shared the shutout. The B's end their season Saturday at 6:10 pm vs Somerville. Playoffs begin March 9.

On Sunday the regular season ended in the Tynsboro League with Wilmington taking a beating from Tewksbury, 7-1. Dennis Foley scored the lone marker assisted by Dave LaLiberte. In two weeks the playoffs will begin. The B's final record was 11-8-1.

Pee Wee C (9-5-2)... Jamie Boudreau's third period goal provided the C's their margin of victory in a 1-0 triumph over Arlington. Assisting on the tally was Bobby Taylor. Goalenders Doucette, Gordon and Velozo all shared the shutout. Saturday Wilmington draws a bye but will be back in action on March 9 against Billerica at 3:30 pm.

Battam B (15-2-1)... Wilmington moved into a first place tie with Stoneham in the WYI League with a 3-1 triumph over Tewksbury last Thursday. In the first period the B's held a 2-1 lead on goals by Paul Sullivan and Tom Bavota. Assists went to Carlin and Gracia on the first tally and to Tighe and Sullivan on the second. Sullivan wrapped the scoring up with his second goal of the game. Garnering assists were Tighe and Bavota.

Last Friday in Assabet Valley League action Wilmington's streak was halted by Lowell with a 2-2 tie. Mike Carlin assisted by Brian Tighe and Paul Sullivan assisted by Tom Gracia and Carlin accounted for the Wilmington goals. Lowell tied the score with just 45 seconds left to play. The B's record is 19-0-1.

Intramural notes...

Sprites... In last Friday's triple-header at the Arena, the Spurs ripped the roadrunners, 3-0; the Blades posted their fourth straight win, 4-0 over the Ruckaroos and the Checkers snapped an eight game winless skid with a 3-0 victory over the Blazers. Saturday morning, the division leading Gulls won their tenth straight 4-0 over the Rockets.

Squirts... The Braves maintained their slim one point in the tight race with a 3-1 triumph over the Barons last Friday night. On Saturday, February 23rd the Bears ripped the Clippers, 4-2 and the Aces shut out the Reds, 3-0 to halt a three game losing streak. The Americans remained tied with the Bears for second place with a strong 5-2 effort over the Voyageurs as Eric Larson scored a pair of goals.

Pee Wees... Last Saturday morning the Flyers whipped the No. Stars, 4-1 and the Kings topped the winless Penguins, 5-1, while in the evening program the Blues won their fourth straight defeating the

Sabres, 4-2 and the Canucks scored a 3-2 win over the Seals. **Bantams...** The Canadiens snapped the Hawks 12 game unbeaten streak with a 5-2 triumph over Coach Foley's club on February 20. The Canadiens were led by Jeff Noelle's two goals, while John Milson, Peter Surrutte and Mike Stiemler tallied singletons. Joe LaLiberte and Jimmy Phillips scored once each for the Hawks. In the other contest last weekend, the Bruins nipped the Red Wings, 1-0 with Steve Trefrey scoring the only goal.

Midgets... The Cougars won their third straight with a 5-3 triumph over the Tigers last Friday evening and on Saturday night the Bombers routed the Knights, 7-3 while the Generals and Cougars tabbed to a 3-3 draw.

WHS Intramural wrestling parings

The Feb. 28

121-130 Class: Peter Brown vs Larry Cushing, Jim Doyle vs Dave McMillan, Bob Kohler vs Ken Linton.
141-150 Class: Ken Gray vs Mike Tower, Bob Sierraza vs Mark Kalkanjan, John Campbell vs Jim Coudage, Bob Conlin vs Bill Anderson.
151-160 Class: John Boudreau vs Doug McLain, Bob Doyle vs Tom Magee, Tom Gillis vs Bill Ribeiro, Joe Cunningham vs Mark Chester.

Fri. March 1

131-140 Class: Alan MacDonald vs Jay Cone vs Gillis Ribeiro winner.
141-150 Class: Daniel Tierhan vs Gray/Tower winner, Chet Hall vs Campbell/Coudage winner, Ron Martin vs Conlin/Anderson winner.
171-180 Class: Jack Holloway vs Tim Gould, Bruce Bishop vs Gordie Fitch, Doug Stewart vs Bill Magee, Rick Howlett vs Paul Magee.

Sat. March 2

111-120 Class: Doug Spring vs Mike Chester, Rick Balestrier vs Aaron Brown.
121-130 Class: Bob Phillips vs Brown/Cushing winner, Doyle/McMillan winner vs Kohler/Linton.

131-140 Class: Semi-finals parring winners of March 1.

141-150 Class: Semi-finals parring winners of March 1.

151-160 Class: Dave Spring vs Vin Seife, Paul Leach vs John Harrison.

171-180 Class: Semi-finals parring winners of March 1.

181-190 Class: Ray Cozmo vs Paul Fitch, Chris Hounds vs Bob Bavota.

Heavy Weight Class: Bob Scarno vs Aldo Cairra, Tom Wood vs Ray Gaud.

BRADFORD S. MELENOY GRADUATES AT PETALUMA, CALIF.

Coast Guard Seaman Bradford S. Meleno, whose wife is Pamela Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Benson of 3 Thrush Road, Wilmington graduated recently from the Storekeeper School at the Coast Guard Training Center at Petaluma, Calif. During the 12 week course he received instruction in military and commercial supply procurement, accounting procedures, inventory control and the operation of business machines.

He attended Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute, South Portland, and joined the Coast Guard in July 1973.



HIGH SCHOOL PLANNING BOARD MEMBERS. Found the meeting room of the Wilmington Planning Board to be a bit crowded, Tuesday evening. They are shown listening, as Erich Nitzsche, North Reading civil engineer, discusses problems with the board. Mr. Nitzsche is at left, and at right is Planning Board member Bill MacKinnon.

High School students shown are (l to r) Mark O'Hearn, Patty Hansen, Kathy Pavelchak and Mari Jane Cunningham. In back is High School Town Manager Ed Adams, who seems determined to attend all board meetings.

RICHARD MITRANO HONOR STUDENT AT WENTWORTH

Richard P. Mitrano of Marion St., Wilmington has been named to the President's Honor Roll for the first semester at Wentworth Institute.

Richard is enrolled in Mechanical Design Engineering Technology.

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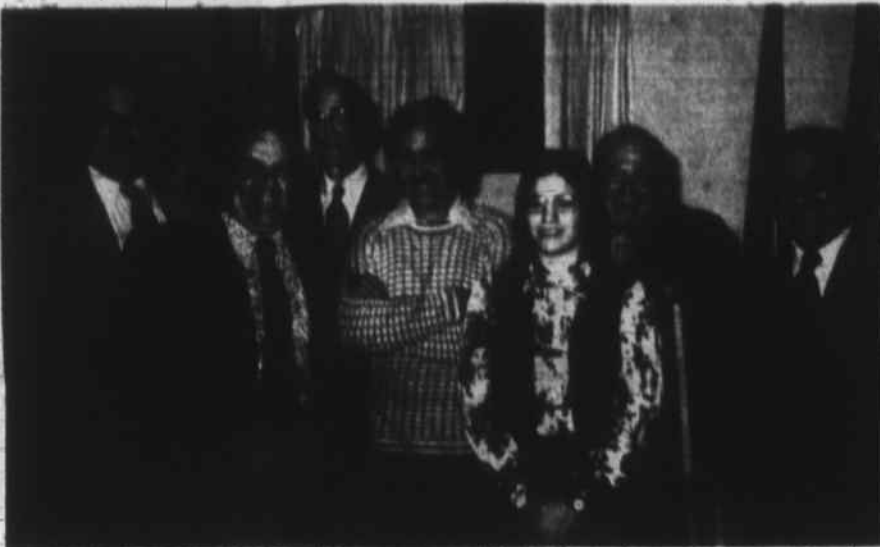
Steve Courney, class of 1977, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Courney of 17 Frederick Drive, Wilmington and Michele Lombard, also a member of the class of 1977, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lombard, 72 Glen Rd., Wilmington have been named to the Dean's List for the first semester at Bates College in Lewiston, Maine.

JAMES STRATTON EDITOR OF STUTE

James Stratton of 67 Lawrence St., Wilmington has been elected copy editor of the Stute, the undergraduate newspaper at Stevens Institute of Technology.

A graduate of Wilmington High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Stratton.

The Stute, issued weekly during the school year by a staff of 28



OPEN HOUSE AT VW HEADQUARTERS. Last Saturday evening, in honor of the 75th birthday of the National Organization. In front are Selectman Jim Micali and Toni Cassidy, president of the Apollary. In the rear are Post Commander Tom O'Connor, Senior Vice Commander Harold Bishop, Post Commander Charles Reinhold, Post Commander Charles Kelly and Selectman James F. Bonds.

SRC Zoning Planning Board votes to present arguments to town meeting

The Wilmington Planning Board, Tuesday night, voted unanimously in favor of asking the Town Meeting to adopt a new residential zoning, to be called Single Residence C, in the annual Town Meeting. The board also voted in favor of going ahead with the zoning as prepared, with one exception.

Land belonging to Bob Lewis, on Woburn Street, is to be exempted from the C zone, if it is voted, the Planning Board decided.

Mr. Lewis waited for four hours, Tuesday evening, for a chance to tell the members why he believed the land he owns, about six acres, should be exempted from the zoning change.

When Lewis finally was able to present his case, at 11:30 pm he told the board that he had land located on a sewer line, and that his land could be made into smaller lots, for housing, without the need of large areas for sewer beds. The board agreed with him, at least to a degree.

Bill MacKinnon, planning board member, said he was not in favor of apartment house zoning in Wilmington, but admitted that the land owned by Mr. Lewis was the most suitable, of any site he knew.

Other business

The Planning Board refused to sign a plan for a plot of land having 16,166 square feet, on Perry Avenue (off Lowell Street), and best to be described as being opposite Lucci's. Perry Avenue is a "paper" street which no longer exists because of the vote of last summer accepting a Master Plan for Wilmington.

Rather than accept the plan, the board voted that it was one which required approval under the Zoning Bylaw, the standard action in making a denial. Erich Nitzsche of North Reading was the civil engineer who presented the plan. The board also conferred for

several hours with Leonard F. Dinsmore and John J. Enwright, both New Hampshire men. They told the board that they would be purchasing the Lucaya Estates, the old Anderson farm, off Park Street, on Friday. The long discussion involved methods of preparing bonds, and the areas to be developed by the new owners.

A Definitive Plan for a new real estate development was submitted by Attorney Joseph P. Courtney for John Cormier. The new real estate project will be located north of Broad Street and south of Corum Meadows. The plans were in two sections, and involve a total of 54 households.

Pete Lieberman, of the Town Engineer's office reported that Mr. Gulesian of the John T. Spinelli Company, developers of the land on the hill, off Andover Street, is preparing to extend the road in that project. He was told to prepare bond figures for the projected work.

Chairman Arthur Harding stated that he hoped to have worked out the total acreage involved, in the proposed C zoning, before the Town Meeting. Mr. MacKinnon volunteered to counter the arguments against C Zoning, as stated by Selectman Gillis and the editor of the Town Crier, when the time came for discussion in the Town Meeting.

WILMINGTON SENIOR CITIZENS CALENDAR

On February 25th, a whist party was held at the K of C Hall on School Street. It has been reported that all attending enjoyed themselves.

Senior citizens are urged to attend the Town Meeting on March 9th to support their budget. Free transportation can be obtained by calling 658-3343 or 667-7595.

Jack McGraine, the regional director with the executive office of elder affairs of Mass attended the Wilmington Council of Aging meeting on Tuesday and assisted in the council planning.

Eric Kingston of the

R.S.V.P. (retired senior volunteer program) presented a film showing what seniors are doing in their communities on Tuesday evening. The Wilmington Council will be extending the RSVP in Wilmington.

Seniors interested in attending the flower show at the Commonwealth Army in Boston should call the drop in center at 657-7595 for reservations on the bus, which will be leaving March 22nd. The price will be \$1.50. However, ticket sales must be limited to 45 and will be sold on a first come, first served basis.

WILMINGTON DRIVING SCHOOL INC. 52 MAIN ST.

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Meeting tonight on Article 10

Proponents and other persons interested in Article 10, of the warrant for the annual Town Meeting, are being invited to meet tonight at the home of Jack Cushing, 3 Ring Avenue, in Corum Meadows. The meeting is to discuss the acquisition of the land in the area for recreation purposes.

The meeting is to begin at 8 pm. A second meeting is tentatively being planned for next Wednesday, to discuss the same subject.

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STUDENT SELECTMEN LEARN ABOUT EXECUTIVE MEETINGS. Wilmington High School seniors, elected to town office, waited outside the selectmen's meeting room for an hour and a quarter, Monday night, while the selectmen discussed problems with the Town Council. L to R: Ed Adams of Pinetops Road, Town Manager; Wade Hallbrook, 45 Church Street, Selectman; Janice Spada, Chestnut Street, Town Moderator; Bob Stewart, Beech Street, Chairman of Selectmen; and Roy Meyer, Pilling Road, Selectman. That hat on the filing cabinet - it belongs to selectman Danny Gills.

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